### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re application of:	)	
PETRUS JOHNANNES WALTERUS MARIA VAN DEN BOSCH ET AL	)	
Serial No. 10/561,690	)	Group Art: 1797
Filed: December 22, 2005	)	Examiner: Prem C. Singh
PROCESS TO PRODUCE PIPELINE- TRANSPORTABLE CRUDE OIL FROM FEED STOCKS CONTAINING HEAVY HYDROCARBONS	) ) ) )	November 7, 2008

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Sir:

# RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANT APPPEAL BRIEF

This paper is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed 31 October 2008. The Notice states that the Status of Claims section of the brief fails to explicitly state which claims are under appeal and that the headings of Evidence and Related Proceeding Appendices do not start on separate pages. Also, the Notice indicates only the defective sections need be submitted.

The following is the submission of the defective sections.

#### STATUS OF CLAIMS

Claims 1-11 are finally rejected.

Claims 1-11 are under appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **EVIDENCE APPENDIX**

None

## RELATED PROCEEDINGS APPENDIX

None